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From Hon. W. H. Jones, of West Dover, Vermont.

"I have been troubled from my boyhood with chronic or hereditary lung complaint. Some years since, early in the winter, I took cold, which as usual settled into a severe cough, which continued to increase as the season advanced, although I made use of all the cough remedies I had knowledge of. My family physician also prescribed for me, but I felt no relief. During all this time I was gradually running down, losing flesh and strength, until my friends as well as myself, became very much alarmed, thinking I should waste away in consumption. While in Boston, during the spring following, I was induced to try WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. After one day's trial I was sensible that it was relieving me; in ten days time my cough had entirely ceased, and I was soon restored to my health and strength. I have ever since kept the BALSAM in my house, and whenever any member of my family has a cough or cold, it is immediately resorted to. No family should be without it." Sold by all druggists.

A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature—rain, wind and sunshine, often intermingled in a single day—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschnee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill and, perhaps, death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial 10 cents; regular size, 75 cents. *

The Machine was Worn Out.

Why? Not because it was not well built, but it was wrongly run. Thousands of men who have run down long before their three-score and ten years are accomplished, might have been renewed into sprightliness and vim if they had tried the well-known PERUVIAN SYRUP, which contains among its compounds the Protoxide of Iron, so combined that it assimilates with the blood and invigorates the whole system. This syrup has proved efficacious in thousands of cases, and will do everybody good who uses it. All druggists keep it. *

WARRANTED FOR EVER.—The manufacturer of the Raymond Sewing Machines now issues a certificate of warranty to all purchasers of sewing machines of his manufacture. The "Raymond" has been for ten years in constant use by the British Columbia public. They give unqualified satisfaction; they do everything; they do it well. Every new improvement is attached to the "Raymond." Its popularity and its sales increase. Call and see the "guarantee" which is furnished with each "Raymond" Sewing Machine. A new supply of these unequalled machines recently received. A. B. Gray & Co., sole agents for British Columbia.

N. B.—Attachments for all kinds of sewing machines on hand, including new descriptions of hemmers, tuckers, frillers, etc. *

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanite plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

PEACE PROCLAIMED.—After ten years of active warfare! I have been at war with my customers for ten long years, and I am now ready to DYE FOR THEM at reduced rates. Gents' clothes cleaned and repaired; faded curtains and clothing restored and made to appear as good as when new. Customers abroad will not have reason to grumble at prices if they send their articles to T. W. Pierre, tailor and dyer, Yates street, opp. Alhambra Hall. Castoff clothing taken in exchange for work. *

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superceded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

LOST, DESTROYED OR STOLEN.—All the school-books which come under the above caption during the past summer holidays can be easily replaced at the Publishers' prices at

* T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s.

THE COMMONS.—Mr. Wm. Dalby will be a candidate for the Commons in Victoria District. *

NOTICES.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' MARAVILLA COCOA.—Taylor Brothers, London, having the exclusive supply of this unrivalled Cocoa, invite comparison with any other Cocoa for Purity—fine Aroma—Sanative Nutritive and Sustaining Power. One trial will establish it as a favorite Beverage for breakfast, luncheon, and a Soothing Refreshment after a late evening. For favorable opinions *vide* Standard, Morning Post, British Medical Journal, &c., &c.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' HOMŒOPATHIC COCOA.—This original preparation, which has attained such a world-wide reputation is manufactured by Taylor Brothers, under the ablest homœpathic advice, aided by the skill and experience of the inventors, and will be found to combine in an eminent degree the purity, fine aroma, and nutritous properties of the fresh nut.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' SOLUBLE CHOCOLATE, and **COCOA** and **MILK** are made in one minute without boiling.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' CHOCOLATE CREAMS, CHOCOLATE CREAM TABLETS, CHOCOLATE DROPS AND MARAVILLA CHOCOLATE are highly delicious and wholesome.—Packed in a superior and elegrant manner.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' MUSTARD.—The "Challenge" brand (double superfine quality) is celebrated for its pungency, and purity of flavor. Steam Mills, Brick Lane, London: Export Chicory Mills, Bruges, Belgium.

"Berkeley, Sept. 1869.—Gentlemen: I feel it a duty I owe to you to express my gratitude for the great benefit I have derived by taking Norton's Camomile Pills. I applied to your agent, Mr. Bell, Berkeley, for the above named pills, for wind in the stomach, from which I suffered excruciating pain for a length of time, having tried nearly every remedy prescribed, but without deriving any benefit at all. After taking two bottles of your valuable pills I was quite restored to my usual state of health. Please give this publicity for the benefit of those who may thus be afflicted.—I am, Sir, your truly, HENRY ALLPASS.

—To the Proprietors of NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North American Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

ELI HARRISON, Jr., Law Clerk.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my31

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ANY PERson or persons allowing their Watertaps to remain open between the hours of 7 A. M. and 9 P. M. daily, thereby causing water from the Victoria Water Works to be wasted, will be prosecuted in pursuance of the provisions of the Victoria Water Works Act and Bylaw thereunder. JOHN GASTINEAU,
jy26 Water Works Commissioner.

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS CREEKS in Cassiar by every Steamer for Fort Wrangel. First trip by the steamer California, Friday, April 5th, 1878.

Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded.

Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.
ap5 J. JOHNSTON

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

To Capitalists and Contractors.

The Government of Canada will receive proposals for constructing and working a line of Railway extending from the Province of Ontario to the waters of the Pacific Ocean, the distance being about 2000 miles.

Memorandum of information for parties proposing to Tender will be forwarded on application as underneath. Engineers' Reports, maps of the country to be traversed, profiles of the surveyed line, specifications of preliminary works, copies of the Act of the Parliament of Canada under which it is proposed the Railway is to be constructed, descriptions of the natural features of the country and its agricultural and mineral resources, and other information, may be seen on application at this Department, or to the Engineer-in-Chief at the Canadian Government Offices, 31 Queen Victoria street, E. C., London.

Sealed Tenders, marked "Tenders for Pacific Railway," will be received, addressed to the undersigned, until the 1st day of December next.

F. BRAUN, Secretary,
Public Works Dept., Ottawa.
Ottawa, May 20, 1878. jy25dw

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF TWO BRICK Stores, together with a wooden building and other works, to be situated on the northwest corner of Yates street and Oriental Alley, will be received at my office up to Saturday the 10th day of August at noon.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JNO. TEAGUE,
au4 Architect, Government street.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFFICE up to 4 o'clock p. m. of the 10th inst., for the erection and completion of a block of Brick Buildings on the corner of Fort and Broad streets, for J. Fell, Esq.
JNO. TEAGUE,
au4 Architect, Government street.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS ADDRESSED TO THE HON. T. B. HUMPHREYS, PROVINCIAL SECRETARY AND MINISTER OF MINES, SHOULD BE MARKED "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Dept.,
Victoria, 23rd July, 1878. jy24dw2m

FAN LOST.

IN GOING FROM QUADRA STREET TO GOVernment House *via* Fort and Moss streets, an IVORY FAN, black and gold on one side and a painted picture on the other, was lost on Tuesday last.

The finder will receive a suitable reward on leaving the same at *The Colonist* office. au4

NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Partridge Tunstall, Henry Coppinger Beeton and John Herbert Turner, lately carrying on business as Wholesale and Retail Dry Goods Merchants and General Commission Agents, at 8 Bow Church Yard, in the City of London, under the style of J. P. Tunstall & Company, and at Victoria, Vancouver Island, in the Colony of British Columbia, under the name, style or firm of Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, has been this day dissolved. The business will in future be carried on and all debts owing by or to the said copartnership firms respectively will be paid and received respectively by the said Henry Coppinger Beeton and John Herbert Turner.

Dated this 19th day of June, 1878.
(Signed) J. P. TUNSTALL,
(Signed) H. C. BEETON.

Witness to the signatures of the above named John Partridge Tunstall and Henry Coppinger Beeton—(Signed) CHAS. E. PEMBERTON, 20 Gutterlane, London.
(Signed) J. H. TURNER.

Witness to the signature of the above named John Herbert Turner—(Signed) R. S. BYRN, Victoria, B. C.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE NOTICE OF DIssolution of Partnership, we have to give notice that the business will in future be carried on at Wharf street, Victoria, under the style of Turner, Beeton & Co., and at 36 Finsbury Circus, London, under the style of H. C. Beeton & Co.

TURNER, BEETON & CO.
Wharf street.
Victoria, July 15, 1878. jy16

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Cumberland Young, late of Yates street, Victoria, deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are requested to send in their accounts on or before the 3d day of September, 1878, to
J. B MAYERAU, Administrator.
Or to E. Harrison, Jr., Barrister-at-Law, Victoria.

REWARD.

A REWARD OF TEN DOLLARS ($10) WILL BE paid, on conviction, to any person or persons giving information of certain parties killing game out of season, viz:—Deer, Grouse, Ducks, etc. The above is considered necessary, as a well known POT HUNTER is running Deer continually in defiance of the law.

SPORTSMAN.
N. B.—The above reward will be paid at this office. jy9

REWARD.

LOST ON SUNDAY LAST, ON THE WEST Saanich Road, a Bunch of Keys. Anyone bringing the same to this office will be suitably rewarded. jy30 1w

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

H. M. S. ROCKET.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Wardroom Mess of this ship are requested to forward them immediately to the caterer of the mess.
July 25th, 1878. jy26 3t

REMOVAL.

MR. A. BULER

HAS REMOVED TO THE NEW BRICK BUILDing at the corner of Fort and Douglas streets, where he will be happy to see his customers.

☞ CLOTHES CLEANED AND REPAIRED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE. jy31 1m

LD. LOWENBERG,
REAL ESTATE AGENT

GOVERNMENT ST., NEAR CORNER OF BROUGHTON,

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

TO CARPENTERS.

A CHEST OF CARPENTER'S TOOLS, NEARLY new and complete, will be sold very cheap.
JOHN GERRITSEN,
jy3dw Humboldt street.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia made in the cause of the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay against Ermenigildo Grancini, the creditors of Alfred Waddington, late of Ottawa, Civil Engineer, deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of February, 1872, are by their solicitors, on or before the 15th day of October next, to come in and prove their debts before Charles E. Pooley, Esquire, Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his office, Supreme Court House, James Bay, Victoria, Vancouver Island, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said decree.

The 22nd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.

Dated 17th day of July, 1878.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion St., Victoria, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.
jy17dw3m

FISHERIES.

WE INVITE THE FISHERMEN OF BRITISH Columbia to ask their merchant or outfitter for samples and prices for our STANDARD COTTON SEINE NETTING AND NETS; 70 lbs cotton gives as large area of spread as 100 lbs net. Cotton is universally used in the United States, France and England in the fisheries, and it is more economical and durable than hemp.
AMERICAN NET AND TWINE CO.
my73mdw Boston.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of John Dunstan, late of Esquimalt, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 31st day of August, A. D. 1878, to CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 31st May, 1878. je1 3mdw

PATENTS OBTAINED FOR MEchanical devices, medical, or other compounds, ornamental designs, trade marks and labels. Caveats, Assignments, Interferences, Infringements, and all matters relating to Patents promptly attended to.

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mv30dwtf

NOTICE.

In the Goods of Calvin Farr, late of Comox District, Deceased, Intestate.

DEBTORS TO THE ESTATE ARE REQUIRED to pay the amounts due by them forthwith to the undersigned; and creditors of the Estate are requested to send in their claims within one month.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 2d June, 1878. je4dw

NOTICES.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFfice, where the plans and specifications may be seen from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m. daily, until 2 p.m. on Monday the 12th inst., for the erection of a framed and hard-finished Dwelling House on David street.

Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane St., 2d August, 1878. au3

ROAD TAX DEFAULTERS.

THIS TAX IS NOW OVERDUE FOR THE CURrent Year, and must be paid forthwith at the office of W. K. BULL, by all citizens not assessed for Real Estate, or Summonses will be issued.
July 15th, 1878. jy16tf

IDA MARTIN, DECEASED.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned for the purchase of 151 Shares (unassessable) in the Eureka Silver Mining Company.

Tenders to be in before 10th August next.
M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
jy21 Administrator.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

John Tod, Jr., Plaintiff. James Nesham Peers, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause.
C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of John Chenhall, of Clinton, an Insolvent.

THE INSOLVENT HAS MADE AN ASSIGNMENT of his Estate to me.
C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

ROYAL CARIBOO HOSPITAL.

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE Royal Cariboo Hospital will receive applications for the position of Medical Officer to the Hospital up till 1st September next.

The party appointed will require to commence his duties on 1st October.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Langley & Co., Victoria; the Government Agent at New Westminster; or to the undersigned, to whom applications should be addressed.

ANDREW B. RITCHIE,
Secretary.
Barkerville, 2nd July, 1878. jy14dw

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY WARNED TO abstain from trespassing in search of game on the Lake Hill Farm, and anyone found so trespassing will be prosecuted according to law.

B. W. McKENZIE.
Aug. 8th, 1878. au10

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFfice till 4 p. m. on Monday the 19th inst., for the carpenters', bricklayers', plasterers', painters' and glaziers' and plumbers' and gasfitters' works necessary to be performed in making certain alterations and additions to the residence of Henry Brown, Esq., on Fort street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane street, Aug. 9th, 1879. au10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE TENder of Albert Bishop for Painting Projectiles has been accepted.

J. H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.
Esquimalt Yard, 9th August, 1878. au10 1t

DENTISTRY.

DR. J. CALDER,
Surgical & Mechanical Dentist

LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO,
—OFFICE:—
RIGHT HAND SIDE OF STAIR CASE,
SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.
je14dw

THOROUGHBREDS.

T. W. CARTER'S
BLACK HAWK MORGAN TROTTING STALLION
"WELLINGTON"

WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 AT HILLside Farm, Victoria, commencing May 1st and ending August 1st.

TERMS, $15 FOR THE SEASON OR $20 TO ENSURE.

Every care will be taken to prevent accidents; but no responsibilities assumed. Will also stand at the following places:—Harry Simpson's, South Saanich, 1st May; Harry Wain's, North Saanich, 2nd May; at Henderson's, Mount Newton Hotel, 3d May; at Hillside Farm, from the 4th to the 8th May; and at each of the above places every ninth day. Will be taken to any Farm upon application. Post office box 223.

PEDIGREE.

Wellington, 1412 lbs, is 17 hands high, 6 years old. Wellington was sired by Handley's Paul Jones, he by Paul Jones by J. G. McCracken's Black Hawk, by David Hill or Vermont Black Hawk. Paul Jones' dam by Candidate, he by Old Grog, dam by Comet the Fish or Eastman Horse of California, he by David Hill of Vermont Black Hawk, &c., &c.

T. W. OARTER,
3map25dw Hillside Farm

TROTTING STALLION "MC"
RECORD 2:39.

WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 AT HIS owner's Farm

OAK BAY,

One mile from the City Limits of Victoria,

AT $25 FOR THE SEASON.

Should the Mare not prove with Foal she will be entitled to be served again next season without charge.

Mares will be cared for at $1 per week in good pasture. All accidents at owner's risk.

"Mc" was bred by the late John Duncan, of San Francisco, California, is dark bay in color, 15 1-2 hands high, weight 1,100 pounds.

PEDIGREE.

"Mc" was foaled on the 16th May, 1867, sired by Sawyer's Colt, he by Stockbridge Chief, he by Vermont Black Hawk, Stockbridge Chief's dam by Sir Charles, he by Durdock Messenger, he by Imported Messenger he by Membrino, his dam by Turf, grand dam by Regulus, he by Stirling, he by Fox. Dam of the Sawyer's Colt was San Jose, damsel by Easton's David Hill, he by Vermont Black hawk, her dam the dam of Dashaway, the celebrated two-mile horse. "Mc's" dam was by General Taylor, out of thorough mare imported to the State from Missouri by — Hazkell, Esq. General Taylor by the famous Morse Horse, he by imported Norman (from France). Dam of Morse Horse by Ogden's Messenger, he by imported Messenger, his dam Katy Fisher by imported Highflier, grand dam, dam of Jersey Eclipse.—Copied from Wallace's Trotting Register. J. S. BOWKER, Oak Bay.
P. O Box 230, Victoria, B. C. mh5dw

J. FINLAYSON,
FAMILY GROCER

TEA AND COFFEE DEALER,
FORT STREET.

BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED AND ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of the city.

JUST ARRIVED & FOR SALE

ON MESSRS. ENGELHARDT & CO.'S WHARF,
A SPLENDID LOT OF
NO. 1 OATS AND BARLEY.
Apply on the Wharf. jy26 1w

POLITICAL.

MR. A. C. ELLIOTT

WILL BE A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT VICTORIA DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE ENSUING GENERAL ELECTION. jy7tf

MR. J. P. DAVIES

Will be a Candidate to represent Victoria District in the Dominion House of Commons at the coming Election. je1

POLITICAL.

MR. BUNSTER WILL BE HAPPY TO MEET as many of the Electors of Vancouver District as can make it convenient to attend at the following places and times:—At Nanaimo Institute on Saturday, July 20th, at 7 p.m. At C. B. Brown's, Wellington, on Monday, July 22nd, at 7 p. m. At Beaumont's, Maple Bay, on Tuesday, July 23rd, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. And at Askew's Landing, Chemainus, at 3 p. m. Also, at the Postoffice, South Cowichan, or Mr. J. Kinnear's store; at Burgoyne Bay, Vesuvius Bay and Sooke. Due notice of the time of meeting at the four last named places will be given to the Electors. jy16dw

ELECTORS!
RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.

I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:

1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.

2. The erection of a Drydock at once as being, like the Railway, not only a Provincial but also a national necessity.

3. The importation free of duty of all material required for the rigging and fitting of ships that cannot be procured in this Province.

4. A just and equitable adjustment of both Export and Import Dues from a reciprocal point of view, which would benefit largely the Commercial, Mining, Agricultural and Lumbering interests of the Districts as well as of the whole Province.

5. I would also strive to secure a new Postoffice for the thriving city of Nanaimo, and failing in that, some improvement at least upon the shameful neglect of its present postal facilities.

Other local and provincial wants which may call for legislative redress shall receive, if I am elected, my serious attention and warmest support.

I shall take an early opportunity of holding public meetings in the various sections of your wide and extensive district (of which due notice will be given) at which I shall, as also in private intercourse, fully explain the course I intend to pursue, and hope as the result of that to receive your generous support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. J. McLELLAN.
Nanaimo, June 14th, 1878. je30dw

DISTRICT CORRESPONDENCE.

EDITOR FREE PRESS:—I quite agree with the writer of the article which appeared in your issue on Wednesday last signed "Union and Progress," giving our late, and would-be next, representative in the House of Commons (I mean Bunster) a slight rub for leaving the city without giving an account of his stewardship for the five years he represented us. Yes, Mr. B. spent off and on about a week in town, and surely he could (if he wished) I think without interfering with his business or canvass spare a few hours, say even one, to address us. It's true it was generous, gentlemanly and policy on his part to defer his address and give up the Institute Hall on Saturday in favor of the Bazaar. It is also true the Institute was at his command on the Monday evening following, which would have, in my opinion, suited the purpose and the citizens equally as well. Nanaimo is the centre and the most important part of Vancouver District, and when he can make it convenient to address the different other parts of his constituency why, I ask, does he treat Nanaimo so coolly unless he is under the delusive impression that his right bower can mesmerise every voter to support only him? It's a huge mistake. Come, Bunster, let us hear one of your eloquent speeches, else you will hear again shortly from
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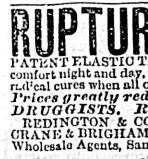

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Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 13TH, 1878.

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THE CHINESE BILL AND ITS ADVOCATES.

In introducing the Bill to impose a head tax on Chinese the Attorney-General expressed the fear that the Bill would be declared unconstitutional at Ottawa. We say he *expressed* that fear. Subsequent proceedings convince us that he did not express what his real feelings on the subject were. If one could have got behind the facial mask, have torn away the thin veil of hypocrisy that hid his real thoughts, it would have been seen that the leader of the Government *hoped* that the Bill would be disallowed at Ottawa. Such has been the drift and tendency of legislation on this all-important subject. Mr. Walkem, and the members of the House who are large employers of Chinese labor, have taken good care that the Bill shall be declared unconstitutional by introducing clauses that are repugnant to common sense as well as common law, and the Attorney-General has himself given a cue for the disallowance of the Bill by expressing a belief in its unconstitutionality. With the object of removing any clauses that might be deemed objectionable at Ottawa *The Colonist* and the Opposition made suggestions to the Government which were not accepted, because in order to secure the disallowance of the Bill it is necessary (in the opinion of its promoters) that it shall go forward to Ottawa with all its imperfections. If it is disallowed there the Government and the large employers of Chinese labor who occupy seats in the House will cast the odium on the Dominion Government, and will turn about and say to their dupes, "Gentlemen, we have fulfilled our election pledges." That is all there is in the Bill. It was drawn expressly to be declared inoperative. But if some of the amendments that were proposed had been adopted there would have been a far different tale to relate to-day. On Sunday we expressed a hope that no memorial against the Bill would be sent to Ottawa, whereupon the *Standard*—a cesspool of political nastiness—asserts that we have changed front. Changed front, indeed! We challenge our contemporary to produce from the columns of *The Colonist* a single line or article in favor of the class of persons of whom the Bill treats. We have always strongly opposed the employment of Chinese on public works, and have always urged the imposition of a head-tax. We are not afraid of our record. Can the *Standard* say as much? Can it deny that in the month of August, 1875, it did not publish a leading article upbraiding *The Colonist* for championing the cause of the white laborers in which occurred the following lines:

"We know of one contractor on a section of the Westminster-Yale wagon road who made up his mind to employ none but white men on his job, and accordingly engaged the services of all the men he required in this city and paid their fare from here to New Westminster. They went to work, and all went well enough till the first pay day, but no sooner did they get their money than they marched off to New Westminster—this was on Saturday evening—and the following Monday more than one-half of them were absent from duty, drinking and carousing in the city, and his work was nearly suspended in consequence. As he was under bonds to have his contract completed by a certain date, he was compelled to come down again to Victoria for more help, and this time employed a number of Chinamen, who worked faithfully and well until his contract was completed. Had it not been for the Chinamen he assured us it would have been impossible for him to have completed his contract in the time specified, and he would have been a heavy loser by the transaction. Now, these are the kind of men *The Colonist* would have protected by exceptional legislation from fair competition with Chinamen."

Who has changed front on the Chinese question? The paper that could write and print such atrocious sentiments as the above, or *The Colonist*, whose exertions in behalf of the white laborers drew down on its head the condemnation of the *Standard* in 1875? We are asked to explain by our contemporary why we are now anxious to have the Bill become law? We answer, first: because, notwithstanding its imperfections, it will be better than none; and, second: because should it become law its introducer and supporters will be the most disappointed set of men in the Province. The measure was framed expressly to be disallowed; and if it is allowed there will be sackcloth and ashes and weeping and wailing at James Bay and along the east side of Government street. The Attorney-General, as we have shown, was the first to cast doubt on the constitutionality of the Bill, and a correspondent asserts that one of the City members who supported it chuckles with the knowledge that the first attempt to collect the tax will be made the signal for an appeal to the Supreme Court by the Chinese. Legislation has fallen to a low ebb, indeed, when the entire governmental and legislative machinery of the Province can be used to perpetrate an impudent and unblushing fraud on the white working classes. Let the Bill go forward on its own merits. It may be that the Dominion Government, taking into consideration the exceptional state of things in this Province, will allow it to become law, in which case—well, we should just like to be present at an interview between Mr. Walkem and the second member for the City—Mr. Wilson. How they will seize each other by the throat, and dance on each other's body, tear out each other's hair and mash each other generally, all the while crying in duet—"I'll teach you how to draw up a Chinese Bill; I'll show you how to 'bust' the boot and shoe business; I'll give you a lesson in making the Government ridiculous; I'll show you the way to get a Bill declared unconstitutional at Ottawa!" while the people stand by and insist upon an *encore*. By all means let the Bill become law. We know of no more effectual method of disappointing the Government and its friends than by securing some sort of protection to the white workingmen against the Chinese. Our present fear is that the Government will proceed at once to point out the illegalities in the measure so as to insure its disallowance. They should be closely watched.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL AGAIN.

It would seem to be a matter of impossibility for members on the Government side of the House to do anything in accordance with constitutional usage and precedent. We find the Attorney-General fathering a Bill to tax the Chinese—an excellent measure in principle; but dragging into it sections and provisions that render its disallowance at Ottawa highly probable. We find the same gentleman introducing a measure to tax insurance companies, when had he taken the trouble to refer to the Constitution Act of the Dominion he would have seen that a tax of the kind is entirely beyond the power of local legislatures to impose. And, as if these instances were not sufficient, Mr. Drummond was fain to rise in Committee on Friday and move to impose a tax on physicians and surgeons. The motion was carried Mr. Drummond was certainly not to blame for the *faux pas*. The Government pocketed the affront meekly, and nothing more would have been heard of the matter if Dr. Ash had not risen yesterday to object to the Crown surrendering its prerogative. The Attorney-General confessed that the proceeding was irregular; but urged that it should have been objected to at the time by the House. But it was the Government's prerogative as well as the rules of the House that were infringed (prerogative takes precedence of rules) and why did not the Government object? Mr. Speaker was asked by Dr. Ash to rule and, *of course*, ruled in favor of tampering with the Crown's prerogative. When authority was demanded he took till to-day to consider the point, and the adoption of the Bill went over for one day. The Government, and at least a majority of their supporters, would appear to be laboring under dry-rot of the brain, from sheer incapacity to understand the simplest matter of detail.

Canadian Mail.

[Per steamer Isabel.]

CLIFTON, July 30.—Mr. George Liddle, Surveyor of Customs at this port for the last twenty-four years, died last evening after a long and painful illness.

OTTAWA, July 30.—Shortly before one o'clock this morning fire was discovered in Batson & Currier's saw mill, Hull, and before the flames could be subdued the establishment was completely destroyed. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

The election of Mr. Bourbeau, who defeated Mr. Laurier in Drummond and Arthabasca, has been annulled for bribery and corruption.

TORONTO, Aug. 5.—Thorne, Parsons & Co., leather merchants, have failed. Liabilities, $250,000; assets are not known.

MONTREAL, July 30.—The Goff case was continued this morning. Defendant was absent, as usual. Mr. C. P. Davidson, Q. C., said the certificate produced was wholly insufficient, and asked for bail to be forfeited and a warrant issued. The magistrate fixed the case peremptorily for to-morrow, and will issue writs if the defendant does not appear.

English Mail.

[Per steamer Isabel.]

Two English ladies of rank have netted a considerable sum during the past year, it is said, in a shop which they took as a speculation, putting in their lady's maid to run it.

At Sevenoaks in Kent, the foundation has been laid for a new seminary for the education and training of the daughters of missionaries. The establishment is to be a very complete one, and will cost £15,000.

An observer in London writes that the Grecian simplicity of hair-dressing is tyrannically vogue. At operas and at theatres, where bonnets and hats are prohibited, the hair of budding belle and bouncing dowager is alike free from rolls, puffs, wads, and frizzes.

Mr. Thomas Mort, an Australian, who for many years has been working at the problem of sending frozen meat to Europe, has died at the age of sixty-two without seeing the accomplishment of his long cherished dream. He was sanguine and confident to the last, and only checked his ardour by his lack of means, having spent over $500,000 in the enterprise, and being unable to afford any more money. It is doubtful if there is any one with faith and means sufficient to take up the work that he has dropped.

Dr. Vaughan, the Roman Catholic Bishop of Salford, in a recent sermon preached in his own cathedral, spoke strongly on the perilous advance of Socialistic notions in Germany and England. With regard to the former country, he made the statement that in Berlin, with a population of 1,126,000 there were only 35,000 who attended any place of worship, and that, in recent years, 20,000 persons were com mitted to the grave without any religious service whatever. As to England, he said that the evil doctrines were spreading rapidly in Lancashire and other counties, and that London, Manchester, and other great cities were fast following the example of Berlin,

A gushing Scotch gentleman on being presented to the English poet laureate, exclaimed with rapture as he clasped his hand and gazed upon him, "Eh, mon, you have a fine Rob Roy head."

King Alfonso will build a million dollar church near the Royal Palace, containing a splendid mousaleum in memory of the Queen. The room in which she died is to be left untouched; in that same room he was born.

On the door of the great temple of Ligmoto, Japan, is a scene showing first a monkey, then an ape, then a gorilla and so on, till at last the series ends with a perfect man, surrounded by elephants and curious birds. The door is several centuries old.

Sold Again!

EDITOR COLONIST:—If all signs do not fail the workingmen of the Province are sold again, and this time for a good deal less than the traditional mess of pottage. One of the City members who voted for the Bill stated on Saturday that the Chinese would contest the collection of the tax before the Supreme Court of the Province, *and that he had no doubt the Court would decide that the tax in its present shape is illegal.* The member added that he would not have voted for the Bill if he had not pledged himself in his address to do so. LABOR.

[The statement attributed to the member bears out what we have asserted ever since the Bill was introduced, viz: that it was framed in its present shape purposely to be disallowed at Ottawa, or to be declared unconstitutional by the Courts here. It is the biggest and shallowest sell of the session, the proposed insurance tax being the next. Nevertheless, we hope that the Government and their supporters in the House will be disappointed and that the Bill will stand. Nothing would give the Government more pain than to know that the Chinese tax bill had gone into operation.—ED. COLONIST.]

Miscellaneous.

The famous Holker Harriers, which from time immemorial have existed at the North Lancashire seat of the Duke of Devonshire, hardly exist as a pack. A vagrant cur bit one of the hounds, which with seven of its companions, on showing signs of rabies, was shot. Madness developed itself later in twenty-five others, which were destroyed, so that now only five of the famous dogs are left.

The sailors of the Mediterranean have a curious antidote for sea-sickness: Iron-rust in water, drank freely, while at the same time a small pouch, containing roasted salt and flowers of thyme, is tied upon the region of the naval as firmly as can be borne, to lessen and gradually subdue the antiperistaltic motions of the stomach caused by the rolling of the vessel. This latter preparation was known by the ancient Greek.

An observant writer says that "very few men can bear prosperity. It intoxicates them like wine. It turns their head and throws them off their balance. Others cannot bear adversity. They have no fortitude, no courage, no hope. They are not like the old sailor who said he always felt happiest in the height of a storm, because he knew that the next change that took place, whatever it might be, must necessarily be for the better. They cannot realize that there will be any change. When the sky is once clouded and overcast they will not believe the sun will ever shine again. Young men should make it a point to keep their heads cool under all changes of circumstances, to preserve their equanimity, and not to be unduly elated by success or too much cast down by disappointment."

A party of miners were assembled at an inn near Newcastle, in England, and one of them, named Laverick, dared another, named Brain, to pick off with a pin a piece of white paper on the end of a small metallic case which he produced. Brain expressed his readiness to pick off the piece of paper, and a pin having been procured, he proceeded to perform the task. In doing so he did not observe that the other men, including Laverick, had quitted the room. Presently the pin penetrated the case, which proved to be a dynamite cartridge, and an explosion at once followed. Brain, on regaining his senses, found himself lying on his back in the room, his arms stretched out on each side, and his left hand shattered, while the right hand was also injured. He scrambled to his feet, and the other men came in, looking very much scared by the result of their joke. Brain was taken to a surgeon's. His left hand had been blown to pieces, and he was otherwise severely wounded.

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TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 13TH, 1878.

CONSIGNEES.

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DEATHS.

In this city, on the 12th inst.; Antonio Realis, a native of Italy, aged 72.

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THIRD PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FIRST SESSION.

MONDAY, August 12th.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2:15 p.m.

SUPPLY.

Hon. Mr. Beaven moved that the House proceed to take into consideration the speech of his honor the Lieut-Governor delivered at the opening of the session.

The motion was seconded by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and carried; and the hon. Mr. Beaven then moved that a supply be granted to Her Majesty and that this House do on Wednesday next resolve itself into committees of Supply and Ways and Means. Carried.

CHINESE TAX BILL.

The report on the Chinese Tax Bill was adopted and the bill passed its final stage.

MUNICIPALITIES BILL.

Hon. Mr. Beaven moved the adoption of the report of the Municipalities Bill.

Mr. Ash objected on the grounds that a clause of the bill imposing a tax had been irregularly introduced, not having been transmitted to the House by a message from the Lieut.-Governor.

Hon. Mr. Walkem said the objection should have been taken when in committee. Whilst admitting the force of what the hon. member had said it was out of order to allude to anything that transpired in committee now.

Mr. Ash replied that it was not competent for him to interfere with the report to be made by the committee and that the present moment was the first opportunity presented for lodging his objection to the clause.

Mr. Smithe said that the clause of the bill had not been properly introduced. It was wrong in principle to permit a measure to be dealt with in the manner in which this bill had been. The hon. member for Comox was perfectly right in the stand he had taken.

Mr. Speaker said that he could not sustain the objection taken by the hon. member for Comox because the amendment had not been objected to in committee.

Mr. Smithe asked Mr. Speaker to give his authority for his ruling.

Mr. Walkem said that he would not press the adoption of the report until Mr. Speaker had quoted authority for his ruling. He was astonished the member for Comox had not taken his objection in committee.

Mr. Ash said he had availed himself of the first opportunity.

Consideration of the report was postponed.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

Hon. Mr. Walkem moved the second reading of a bill to make further provision for the administration of justice. The aim of the bill was to provide the Province with a better class of justice. It was hoped that it would be able to show the Dominion Government that the measure would affect a saving and at the same time provide for the Mainland two extra judges, gentlemen whose minds had been legally trained. The bill was, in fact, the offspring of the Law Society. By it judges of the Supreme Court would be required to do the work pertaining to County Courts, and instead of having, as at present, eight judges, the number would be reduced to five. The jurisdiction of County Court judges would be increased and thus much inconvenience experienced on the Mainland would be remedied. It was not proposed that the Province should be districted. The Law Society had thought it better that it should not be, although he (Mr. W.) individually was of the contrary opinion.

Mr. Smithe said the measure was one that made hon. gentlemen regret that there was only one lawyer a member of the House. The Opposition had no member of the legal profession on their side of the House, but they were prepared to make the best of the measure. He did not think the bill was a step in the right direction, for whilst admitting that great inconvenience existed among litigants on the Mainland he was of opinion that the inconvenience might have been remedied by an extension of the jurisdiction of County Courts. He feared that the bill would lower the dignity of the Supreme Court, and he thought it was the duty of the House instead of lowering their *status* to exalt it as much as possible. He felt assured the bill was a retrogressive step. In the past the country has been able to sustain both Supreme and County Courts, but it was now proposed to make the higher judge perform the functions of the lower court. Appeals would be virtually abolished, for instead of a litigant being able to appeal from a lower to a higher court, he would have to appeal from one of the Supreme Court judges to two Supreme Court judges, one of whom might be the judge appealed from. Thus it would literally be appealing from Cæsar to Cæsar. This he did not consider either satisfactory or desirable. With reference to the retirement of the present County Court judges he did not think it was the duty of the House to relieve the Dominion Government of a trifling cost, thereby sacrificing the efficiency of our law limits. He was largely in favor of reducing the cost of litigation, but he sadly feared that the measure under discussion would not effect that desirable result. He was sincerely sorry that the bill would neither improve the standing of our law courts nor effect a saving in the cost of justice. If he stood alone therefore he would have to record his vote against its second reading.

Mr. Ash supported the measure and expressed a hope that the Dominion Government would permit it to become law. He alluded to the administration of justice by Judge Needham, who dealt with County Court cases generally to the entire satifaction both of defendant and plaintiff. He did not see that there could be anything degrading in a judge sitting on a case where a small amount was in dispute, the principle being the same as in cases where larger sums were at stake. He imagined that the Government had introduced the measure because it was really palpable that there was no more judicial duty to be transacted in the Province than could be performed by the Supreme Court judges. (Hear, hear.)

The question was then put and the bill was read a second time and committed, Mr. Harris in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Walkem said that the argument of the leader of the Opposition was absurd; it was ridiculous to suppose that because the amount of money a Supreme Court judge was to abjudicate on was reduced that his dignity was lowered with it.

Mr. Smithe said he had made no statement to that effect. What he had said was that the bill would bring the Supreme Court judge in close contact with the general public and that the consequence would be that their dignity would be lowered in the eyes of the unlearned. The supreme court would be placed on a level with the county court and the court of appeal would be abolished. Virtually any appeal made would be an appeal from Cæsar to Cæsar. (Hear.)

Clause 1, authorizing the Dominion Government to appoint two additional judges, passed without debate.

Clause 2 was amended, on motion of Hon. Mr. Walkem, so as to make it imperative that not less than three of the five judges shall reside on the Mainland.

Mr. Beaven spoke in favor of amalgamating county court and criminal jurisdiction. He believed it would remedy an evil that had long existed whereby any person accused of a crime was compelled to wait for months for a trial because the county court judges had no jurisdiction. The measure now introduced would facilitate the wheels of justice and was peculiarly applicable to the requirements of the country.

Clause 3, amalgamating the jurisdiction of Supreme and County Courts, passed.

Clause 4—Mr. Vernon suggested that appeals from the decisions of the County Court should be heard by at least three Supreme Court Judges instead of two, because it was quite possible that one of the two might be the judge who gave the original decision.

Hon. Mr. Walkem said that the question was a matter of cost. It was understood that neither of the judges constituting the Court of Appeal would be the judge whose decision in the County Court was appealed from. (Hear).

The clause passed.

Subsequent clauses, pertaining to the duties of the clerks of the court, procedure, rehearings, general rules for the enabling of actions at law passed and the committee reported the bill complete with amendments.

Ordered that the report be considered to-morrow.

TRESPASS ACT.

Mr. McIlmoyl moved the second reading of a bill to amend an act to afford owners and occupiers a summary remedy in certain cases of trespass. He said the bill simply defined the meaning of the term "trespasser" in the bill of 1877, as follows:—"any person found inside an enclosure without the consent of the owner or occupier thereof shall be deemed a trespasser." It also amended the original act by striking out the word "cultivated" as it had been found that trespass was frequently committed on land that was merely fenced in, the fences being thrown down and destroyed. The bill was so reasonable that he did not anticipate any opposition to it.

Mr. Evans opposed the bill and said it would be dangerous in a few years even to look over a fence much less to attempt to recover one's hat in the event of its blowing over.

Mr. Helgesen spoke strongly in favor of the Bill and said it was intended to deal with trespassers who were in the habit of either carelessly or wilfully damaging property.

Mr. Vernon supported the measure and said the word "cultivated" in the original bill literally destroyed its value.

Hon. Mr. Beaven violently opposed the bill and characterized it as a most monstrous measure.

Mr. Smithe said the only fault he found with the bill was that it did not go far enough. No one has a right to trespass on another man's property without his consent. It was just as bad as a man go-going behind the member for Victoria's counter and making himself at home on premises that did not belong to him. No one had a right to intrude upon another man's privicy, whether it was the privicy of his house, his garden or his farm, and he considered that no one who had any self-respect would desire to travel over another man's property, in pursuit of game or otherwise, without previously seeking and obtaining the owner's consent. He characterised Mr. Beaven's remarks about the rock and swamp which were alleged to be public property, because they had never been paid for, as absurd. He said it might just as reasonably be alleged some time in the future that all those settlers who now, under the Pre-emption Act, obtain Crown grants without payment of any purchase money, should be devoid of right and title to their holdings. At the time the land referred to by Mr. Beaven was alienated from the Crown, parties had to purchase at the rate of five dollars per acre, and as barren rock was not considered to be worth that price, it was by authority conveyed to purchasers of contiguous land for nothing. Parties who had thus obtained rock and swamp land held it by Crown grant, and it was as much theirs as if they had purchased it at $100 per acre. Damage could be done by trespass on uncultivated land as well as on cultivated, and it was quite proper that the amendment contemplated by the bill should be made. In many instances a fence encloses cultivated and uncultivated land alike and as the law now is a man may with his dogs and gun cross the fence into the uncultivated ground with impunity, and when there the dogs, untrained and out of control of the would-be hunter, will probably be in such a case, will chase the game into, or search for the game in, the standing grain that may be found within the same enclosure, or there may be no grain in the field, but sheep and milch cows may be depasturing on the natural grasses, and the dogs, instead of pursuing their legitimate business, that of hunting game, may worry the sheep or chase the cows. Anyone knows that milch cows heated by being driven by dogs are injured to a serious extent. The simplest and most forcible argument that could be adduced was that the farmer had a just claim to be allowed to do as he liked with his own. This bill in a measure give him and he would therefore heartily support its second reading.

Hon. Mr. Humphreys said he had generally opposed this kind of legislation; but his constituents having instructed him to vote for a bill introduced by Dr. Tolmie, he found that there was a requirement for such an act as the present and he would therefore support the measure.

After further discussion, in which Mr. Walkem, Mr. Abrams, and Mr. Drummond opposed, and Mr. McGillivray and Mr. Bennett supported the bill, it was committed, Mr. Drummond in the chair. An amendment designed to neutralize the measure was moved by Mr. Beaven but the bill passed the committee and the House adjourned till 2 p.m. Tuesday.

NOTICES.

Mr. Ash, on Wednesday next, to ask the Provincial Secretary—Have the Dominion Government replied to the address of the House on the 25th February last on the subject of the transmission of the judge's notes with an application for the remission of a sentence.

Mr. Mara, on Wednesday next, to ask leave to introduce an Act to amend the Members' Indemnity Act, 1875.

Hon. Mr. Walkem, on Wednesday next, to ask leave to introduce an Act to regulate the fees of courts of justice and of practitioners thereof.

Latest from Cassiar.

The steamer Otter arrived at 2.30 a. m. yesterday from Fort Wrangel and way ports with $29,000 in treasure, 2,170 cases of salmon from the Windsor Canning Company and the North Western Commercial Company at Inverness, 100 bbls. of oil, 50 bbls. salt salmon, and the following passengers:—J. Dawson, P Cardigan, J. Justino, A. DeCosmos, Christie, Welch, Mrs. Tomlinson and children, and about 20 in the steerage. She reports the water very high in the river and the steamers running regularly. The run of fish at the canneries has been very good and they are now waiting for the second run. The Otter passed the steamer California bound up at Fort Simpson and the steamer Grappler near Bella Bella.

The news from Cassiar on the whole is satisfactory. Messrs. Phillips and Dawson, who arrived here yesterday on the Otter, brought down with them two very handsome nuggets, weighing $200 and $150 respectively, taken from their claim, situate on the first North Fork of McDame Creek. It is also stated that their claim has yielded them during the present season some $20,000. McDame Creek would appear to be the El Dorado of Cassiar. On the First North Fork, adjacent to Messrs. Phillips & Dawson's claim, the Campbell Co. and the Pocahontas Co. are drifting and by this time it is supposed that the White Grouse Co. have reached bed-rock. The Empire Co. are over 100 feet below the surface, and 960 feet under the bed of the creek. When they have run 150 or 200 feet more they will strike bed-rock. The result of their operations is expectantly awaited by other companies located in the vicinity. On Snow Creek the Larkin Bros.' and several other claims are yielding well, and Thibert Creek is paying wages to upwards of 150 white men and 175 Chinamen. Walker Creek, as previously reported, is an undoubted failure. Provisions on McDame are scarce; flour is sold at $26 per 100 lbs. The steamers Nellie and Gertrude are plying on the Stickeen river, which is high for the third time this season. Mr. Bennett, a contractor formerly of this city, has accepted a contract to raise the machinery and wreck of the steamer Beaver, but the undertaking is considered to be a difficult one. On Dease Creek James Welch's claim is paying handsomely. The week before Mr. Christie left $3,000 was taken out. On the 11th July Alexander Blackwood, a Canadian, died of consumption on Walker Creek. He took cold on the way in and died after a brief illness.

Trouble in a Coal Partnership.

Robert Dunsmuir et al. have filed a complaint in the Twenty-third District Court against Henry B. Berryman for an injunction to restrain the defendant from interfering with or disposing of the credits or property of the copartnership that existed between him and plaintiffs for transacting at Nanaimo, British Columbia, the business of mining and selling coal. A dissolution of the partnership is also prayed for. The complaint alleges that the defendant has been guilty of serious misconduct, in that he represented, when the partnership was formed, that he had on hand and within his control 2,210 tons of coal. Plaintiffs were accordingly charged with one-half of the full value of the coal, but about 837 tons of it was at the time pledged by the defendant as security for an indebtedness. An injunction has been issued by Judge Thornton agreeably with the prayer of the plaintiffs.—*San Francisco Post, August 3d.*

A TREAT IN STORE.—Mr. John Maguire the celebrated characteristic monologue *artiste* will appear before the Victoria public for the first time on Thursday evening next at Theatre Royal, presenting a varied olio of oddities and dramatic sketches. Mr. Maguire is spoken of by the Eastern press as a rarity in his line and as such is highly eulogized. His sketches are taken from the best *literateurs*, embracing Dickens, Hood, Thackeray, Harte, Twain and others whose productions are ever popular. His rendering of Shamus O'Brien is pronounced by all who have heard it to be a marvellous piece of declamation and his facial control is said to be extraordinary. For those who delight in a faithful depiction of well known characters a most enjoyable entertainment may safely be predicted.

MINK.—The house of Mr. Reed, of Ogden Point, was visited on Saturday morning by a mink which took up its abode under the chicken-house. After having killed a brood of ducks and a hen on Saturday night the creature again made its appearance and seized on some of the hens as they were going to roost. Mr. Reed was ready by this time to attend to him, and after being twice shot with a revolver and stuck with a pitchfork the mink was killed. On examination it was found that the animal had been kept as a pet, for a piece of rope was still around his neck which seemed to have been lately cut. Mr. Reed would be glad if the owner would call and pay damages.

DEATH OF A PIONEER.—M. Realis, who was recently prostrated by a paralytic stroke, died yesterday at his residence on Douglas street. M. Realis was a pioneer of the Province, having arrived here in the palmy days of '58. By trade he was a carpenter, but for the past few years he has not followed that vocation. He was respected by a large circle of friends who regret his somewhat unexpected demise. His funeral will take place from Douglas street at half-past two o'clock to-morrow, and the *cortege* will leave St. Andrew's Cathedral, Humboldt street, half an hour later.

DR. JAMES, Broughton St., opposite Council Chambers, can be consulted daily. Of nearly 50 years' extensive practice in England, America, and Australia. He extracts polypus and cancer without the use of the knife when taken in time. Dr. James is the discoverer of a medicine which cures all local rheumatic pains as soon as applied. DR. JAMES is in possession of medicines that never failed to stop and cure DIPTHERIA, SMALLPOX, CROUP and all FEVERS in a few hours. N. B.—Mrs. James, midwife of long experience and successful practice in this city, is open to engagement.

H. M. S. OPAL will leave at day-break to-morrow for Honolulu, thence round the islands to Valparaiso.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.]

MONDAY, 12th August.

Ah Gee, charged with stealing a silver watch and chain, was committed for trial.

SMUGGLING.

Timothy Scanlan, gunroom steward on board H. M. S. Opal, was charged with having knowingly and wilfully attempted to defraud the revenue of the country by attempting to sell a gun on which duty had not been paid.

C. A. Bunting, being sworn, said that a few days since he received information that there was a gun for sale which had been bought on shore from the navy, and was informed that it was at Mrs. Moore's drug store, it having been left there by the defendant. The witness went to the said store with Mr. Braverman and asked if they had a gun for sale, upon which he was answered in the affirmative and the gun was produced, the price asked being $50 or $55; witness was not certain which; he told the boy in the store that he thought he would take the gun, but would call back in a short time and let him know. Called again with Mr. Driscoll, and having asked for the gun gave it into Mr. Driscoll's charge to take to the Custom house. The gun, case and fixings produced are those taken from Mrs. Moore's store and are dutiable goods.

Wymond Hamley being called, stated that the gun was dutiable at the rate of 17½ per cent. on the value and no duty had been paid on the said gun. The defendant had repeatedly called at the Custom House and said that the gun belonged to him; that he had brought the gun on shore for his own use and never had any intention of selling it.

I. Braverman testified to the defendant having several weeks since asked him if he wanted to buy a gun and told him if he did to go to Mrs. Moore's store and look at one there; the defendant asked $55 for the gun.

C. Pardoe testified to the defendant having brought a gun into his store and asked him the value of the gun; the gun was worth about £6 6s.

His Honor then fined the defendant $25 and ordered the gun to be confiscated.

James Wesler, charged with being a vagrant, was remanded for two days on his own recognizance to appear for sentence.

Joe, an Indian, charged with assaulting officer Lindsay while in the execution of his duty, was fined $10 or one month's imprisonment.

HEROIC CONDUCT.—The *Oregonian* relates that as the steamship Idaho for Portland was steaming out of San Francisco harbor on Tuesday last a colored waiter leaped overboard with suicidal intent. A young English tourist by the name of Mr. Edward D. Thornburgh Cropper, seeing a fellow-man overboard, and ignorant of its being a deliberate act, immediately divested himself of coat and vest and jumped after him, but, owing to the high running sea, was unable to reach him. A U. S. soldier also leaped overboard, but both were unsuccessful. The waiter was drowned, and the two brave men were picked up by a boat from the steamer. The passengers held a meeting and passed a series of resolutions expressive of their admiration of Mr. Cropper's conduct.

CHINESE FIRING A GRAVEYARD.—The fences, monuments and railings about the graves in the old cemetery narrowly escaped destruction by fire on Saturday in consequence of a number of Chinese following an annual custom of sacrificial offering to dead friends. The brush and grass were set on fire and the flames were with difficulty extinguished. Were a white person to perpetrate a similar outrage the police would have him in charge in a remarkably brief space of time. The trustees of the cemetery should strive to prevent a repetition of such acts.

ADVERTISING.—Merchants think nothing of paying five pounds for one sign, with nothing but their name on it. Well! what do you think of having 5,000 signs a week in a newspaper? In it you can show your whole establishment to the public every week. If you are wise, just rub your eyes, and go to work and advertise.

BIBLE READING.—Rev. Mr. Brown gave a Bible reading at the Pandora street Church on Sunday, and preached in the Baptist Chuch. The services were largely attended. At the Baptist Church at 7:30 o'clock this evening there will be praise service, and at 8 o'clock Mr. Brown will give another Bible reading.

NEW MUSIC.—Messrs. Sherman, Hyde & Co. of San Francisco have forwarded to us a new schottische by Owen, a delightful piece of dance music introducing Pinsuti's song "Welcome, Little Primrose." The arrangement is excellent and the piece will undoubtedly become very popular. Order it.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt, left at 4 p. m. yesterday for New Westminster with a good freight and many passengers among whom were Mrs. and Misses Tolmie, Mr. R. Tolmie, Miss E. Tolmie, Miss E. Wallace, Mr. Bagnall, Mrs. Briggs and others.

THE LUMBER TRADE.—The combination between mill owners on Puget Sound to the effect that they would not run their mills nights has ceased. Port Blakely mill commenced running a double shift on Tuesday night last and improved times are expected.

COAL.—The local demand consumes all the coast supplies as fast as it arrives, causing a slight improvement in values. There are at this writing seventeen cargoes now due here (60 days out), price $6. *S. F. Newsletter.*

MARINE. — The bark Heckla from Shanghai anchored in Royal Roads yesterday. The schooner Eliza arrived in port early on Sunday morning last from Baynes Sound with a cargo of lumber for Mr. W. P. Sayward.

GOLD BAR.—A bar weighing 242.78 oz.—the product of gold quartz crushed at Barkerville—was received by the Bank of British North America in this city on Saturday.

THE steamer Isabel arrived at 6 p. m. yesterday from Port Townsend with a large mail, about 10 passengers, 19 lambs for Jackson & Goodacre, and 472 sacks of flour.

VICTORIA CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—The atttendance on the 12th August was:—High School, 43; boys' department, 164; girls' department, 247. Total, 454.

FOR PORTLAND.—The steamer Olympia will make a trip to Portland this week.

THE schooner Bonanza left yesterday afternoon with 260 tons of railroad iron.

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

Supreme Court in Chambers.

[Before Mr. Justice Gray.]

MONDAY, August 12th.

Neufelder vs. Hough—A summons to set aside judgment and execution.

Mr. A. R. Robertson appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. Drake for the defendant.

The case was adjourned for one day.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVELY TO THE COLONIST, THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Last Night's Dispatches.

LONDON, August 10.—At a grand naval review by the Queen Tuesday next the fleet will comprise 10 broadside ships, 8 turret ships, 6 sloops and gunboats, and two torpedo boats carrying a total of 219 guns, 6691 officers and men, aggregating 99,531 tons and 72,350 horse power. The vessels have been appropriated for lords of the admiralty, members of House of Lords and House of Commons and foreign diplomatists and other distinguished persons. The Queen will be on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert. The Prince and Princess of Wales will be on board the yacht Osborne.

VIENNA, August 10.—Elections in Hungary continue favorable to the government.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug.—The porte has resolved to grant very large concessions to Crete, such as will be calculated to pacify the inhabitants; but has determined to refuse the demands of Greece, deeming them not justifiable.

VIENNA, Aug. 10.—Official reports of the battle of the 8th inst. place the number of insurgents at considerably over 6,000 with four cannon and a rocket battery. The fighting lasted over eight hours, the insurgents obstinately holding a succession of strong positions. The Bosnian loss was 500 killed and 700 prisoners. On Friday the Austrians advanced against the strongly intrenched position of Vrandak. The porte on Saturday telegraphed to Terjaoo that an agreement had been reached with Austria on the basis for a convention; that therefore the Austrians enter the Turkish provinces as friends and any offer of resistance will be to no purpose.

ROME, Aug. 10.—The minister of justice of the Italian government withholds the exequatur from minister San Felice, the new archbishop of Naples, thus declaring null the pontifical bull nominating him.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—Russians have begun to occupy Varna. A proclamation has been issued in Herzegovina announcing that all persons who offer resistance to Austrians will be tried by drum-head court martial.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 9.—A dispatch dated Tiflis, Aug. 2d, reports that an explosion had occurred in the mines of the fortifications of Kars resulting in a fire which destroyed the best portion of the city.

The *Official Messenger* to-day dwells upon smallness of material advantages which have accrued to Russia through disregard by the Berlin congress of considerations of race in fixing frontiers. It says the task of Russia is now to see that the conclusions reached are carried into execution to the smallest point, and that if the Porte does not observe strictly the conditions of the treaty it signs its own sentence.

BERNE, Aug. 9.—The Swiss national council voted $1,300,000 towards completing St. Gothard tunnel.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—London Radicals of Southwark propose to nominate Miss Helen Taylor for Parliament at the next general election and thus practically raise the question of women's rights.

A meeting of the executive committee of Home Rule confederation Wednesday passed a resolution strongly condemning Dr. Isaac Butt, Liberal and Home Ruler, member for Limerick, and the majority of Home Rule members for their conciliatory policy toward the government. This is probably the first step in the crusade against Dr. Butts' leadership, which is ended for all practical purposes.

In the House of Commons last night Sir Stafford Northcote said the government proposed to give careful consideration to administrative reforms in Asiatic Turkey. The reforms eventually agreed upon with Turkey would be guaranteed by treaty.

Mechanics in shipyards on the Clyde refuse either an increase of the hours of labor or ten per cent. reduction of wages.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—Wm. E. Wood, stockbroker and member of the Pacific Board, is missing. His safe was opened and neither money nor stocks found within. One of his patrons, a lady, deposited $4000 with him just before he closed up.

Blank Book Manufactory and Book Bindery.

Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

MESSRS. BROWN & WHITE beg to call attention to the balance of their stock of Linen Costumes, Skirts, Children's Piqué Palises, Sun Hats, Ladies' and Children's Straw Hats, &c., &c., which will be offered at a great reduction in order to make room for novelties to arrive.

N. B. — A Fashionable Costume for $2 50. *

JUST RECEIVED per mail a fine lot of trout flies tied expressly for the Cowichan and Comox Rivers and the Province in general. Price, 75 and 50 cents per dozen. To be had at HENRY SHORT'S, Gunmaker, Fort Street. dw*

THE LATEST.—The undersigned received by City of Panama, a choice lot of Ladies' Costumes, Children's Dresses, Summer Dress Goods, Trimmings, Lace Handkerchiefs, Ties, Sets, etc., etc.—SHEARS & PARTRIDGE, London House. *

TERRIBLE SHIPPING DISASTER.

Forty-Seven Lives Lost on the Australian Coast.

An Auckland (New Zealand) dispatch, June 25, says:—The British ship Loch Ard, Captain Gibbs, from London to Melbourne, with a cargo valued at $350,000, was lost near Cape Otway on the morning of June 1. Miss Evey Carmichael was the only passenger saved out of seventeen, and a midshipman named Thomas Pearce is the sole survivor of a crew numbering thirty-two.

For two days previous to the morning of the 1st June the sky was so overcast that the captain was unable to take observations. At four on the morning of that day he saw Danger Reef, being at that time scarcely half a mile from the shore, the ship being under close-reefed topsails and running before the wind. The captain, who was on deck, gave orders to bring the ship to the wind, but she would not weather the land. He then let go both anchors with a fifty fathom cable to each, but she would not hold and the ship dragged. When 150 yards from the rocks the captain slipped both anchors and tried to put on sail, but only got the mainsail set when the vessel struck on her starboard quarter. This was just when it was breaking day, and immediately the topsail fell over, killing two seamen. The captain at once ordered the crew to get the boats out for the lady passengers; but this was not done as the waves were washing over the decks. Pearce and five other seamen got into the lifeboat, but were washed over. Pearce swam to the boat and kept on it while it drifted into a small bay, where the ship had struck. At daybreak he found himself drifting toward the beach and managed to get on shore. At this time the beach was strewed with wreck and drift wood. After he had recovered he walked about to see if there were any of the passengers or crew. After a little while he heard a cry, and saw a lady about fifty yards out. He swam out to her. She appeared to be insensible, but was clinging to a spar. From her statement it appeared that she was nearly the last on board, being in conversation with the captain just before the ship went down. The captain told her if she should survive to tell his wife that he died like a seaman at his post. Before Pearce came to her rescue there were two others clinging to the same spar, but she saw them washed off. This young lady was Miss Evelyn Carmichael.

He dragged her ashore and pulled her into a cave, gave her some stimulant, and covered her up, and laid down himself to sleep, being exhausted. He thinks he must have slept about two hours, and on awakening found the young lady apparently recovering. He then started to get help, and after some considerable difficulty climbed the cliff, which is upward of one hundred feet high. After he got on top he walked about till he luckily found a track, and started on in the direction of Mr. Gibson's Glenample Station. After walking on the track about two miles he was met by a man in Mr. Gibson's employ, named George Ford, who, after making enquiries of Pearce, started back to the station and brought Mr. Gibson back with him, Pearce having gone back to the lady to give her the good news that help was at hand; when to his horror, on arriving at the cave where he had left her, she was not to be found. He searched about till Mr. Gibson came, and then they together searched; but she evidently had strayed away, and they were afraid that she had got washed into the sea again; when, just as it was getting dark, Geo. Ford, who was searching among some scrub, heard a faint cry, "Oh, I am dying!" He went to the spot, and found the young lady. After Mr. Gibson came up they at once endeavored to get her to the top of the cliff. She was nearly bare of clothing. Mr. Gibson took off his own boots and stockings and put them on her, and got her into his buggy, which he had sent for, and drove her to the home station, arriving there about 2 a.m., when Mrs. Gibson very kindly took charge of her, and has since continued to take every possible care of her.

TAKE NOTICE.

Ex Dakota I have received the celebrated Philadelphia Lawn Mower; Berrien's Mechanical Plaiter, Fluter, and Ruffler; Johnson's Plaiter; also, a large stock of the world-renowned first prize Osborn A Machines. The manufacturers of the Osborn machines issue a genuine certificate of warranty for five years to all purchasers, *but not for eternity.* Parties desiring machines or fittings can depend upon satisfaction by applying at the agency where is to be found the largest assortment of Machines, Needles, and Attachments in the Province. Repairs to machines neatly executed. In stock, Florence Family and Manufacturing, Grover & Baker Family and Manufacturing;

Howe,	Guelph,
Lockman,	Webster,
Secore,	Wheeler & Wilson,
New American,	Raymond No. 1,
Elliptic,	Common Sense,
Bartlott,	Florence,
Singer,	Home Shuttle,
Gresham,	Wanzer.
New Wilson,	

THOMAS FLETCHER,
* Fort street, Victoria.

REMOVED,

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superceded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

Rich and Rare.

The undersigned offers for sale at his Wareroom, St. Nicholas Building, Government street, magnificent Furniture lately imported by him, comprising Parlor Sets, Upholstered in Satin, San Francisco price, $600 the Set. Queen Ann Sets, Upholstered in Raw Silk, Satin Puffing; Baldwin Sets Upholstered in French, all Wool Rep, Satin Puffing; Walnut Marble Top Bed Room Sets, Recess Bureaus, High Back Wash Stands, Chiffoneers (new design), East Lake Pillar Extension Tables, Eastern made Walnut Marble Top Sideboards richly inlaid, magnificent Walnut Hall Chairs elaborately carved and inlaid, new design Walnut Dining Room Chairs, Perforated and Cane Seats, large French Plate Mirrors, three ply Garden Hose, Mission Blankets, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at a sacrifice.

* R. HAGGERTY.

JOB PRINTING.—A fine line of new job type was received by the City of Panama at *The Colonist.* Billheads, cards, circulars and posters are now turned out at very low rates in first-class style. *

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The highest number takes the choice and the lowest takes the other.

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All of which will be sold at the Lowest Market Rates.

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NOTICE--TRESPASSERS.

ANY PERSON FOUND TRESPASSING IN SEARCH of game on Upland Farm, Cadboro Bay, or any premises belonging to or in the occupation of the undersigned, will be prosecuted according to law.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFfice till 4 p. m. on Monday the 19th inst., for the carpenters', bricklayers', plasterers', painters' and glaziers' and plumbers' and gasfitters' works necessary to be performed in making certain alterations and additions to the residence of Henry Brown, Esq., on Fort street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.

Kane street, Aug. 9th, 1879. au10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE TENder of Albert Bishop for Painting Projectiles has been accepted.

J. H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.

Esquimalt Yard, 9th August, 1878. au10 1t

PILOTAGE AUTHORITY NOTICE.

THE LICENSE OF JAMES RAMSEY, B. C. PIlot, has been susdended for 12 months from the 2nd instant.

By order of the Board.

EDGAR CROW BAKER,
Secretary P. A.

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STOCKS AND MINES.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO.
(LIMITED)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT PRIOR TO the Incorporation of the Company certain owners of interests, or fractional parts of an interest, became indebted to the Company for Assessments on their respective interests, or fractional parts of an interest.

The following persons are so indebted to the Company:—

Peter Brown	$16 87
George Byrnes	28 12
Joe. Heywood	36 00
W. H. G. Thompson	49 00
H. E. Croasdaile	6 25

Now, unless this liability be discharged within Thirty (30) days from the date of this advertisement, proceedings will be taken for the recovery of the amount, under the Act governing the Company before Incorporation.

The attention of persons holding unrecorded Bills of Sale of interests, or fractions of an interest, in the Company is respectfully directed to Clause 7, Gold Mining Amendment Act, A. D. 1872.

By order of the Trustees.

jy12 CHARLES WILSON, Secty.

ENTERPRISE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO.
(LIMITED)

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders of the Enterprise Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the B. Col. Stock Board, on Tuesday the 20th August, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The following business will come up for discussion:

First—Consideration of assistance to the Cariboo Quartz Co. in sinking shaft on the Bonanza lode.

Second—The issuing of certificates to Promoters; also, the continuation of corporate existence of the Enterprise Company under the Companies Act of 1878.

jy11 D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING COMPANY
(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per share, levied 20th June, 1878, and payable at the Company's office in Victoria, or to Charles Wilson, Agent at Barkerville, will be delinquent on Tuesday, 9th July next. By order.

G. A. SARGISON, Secty.

Victoria, 20th June, 1878. je20

FOSTER COLD MINING COMPANY.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at Stanley, B. C., on Tuesday, August 27th, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the transaction of important business.

By order of the Directors.

WM. W. DODD, Secretary.

Stanley, July 27th, 1878. au4dw

NOTICE.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED

ALL PERSONS HOLDING RECORDED BILLS Bills of Sale for feet in this Company's claims will, on presenting and surrendering the same to the Secretary of the Company, receive Certificates of Shares in lieu thereof.

By order. CHARLES WILSON, Secty.

Barkerville, July 22, 1878. jy23dw1m

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 3 OF TEN CENTS PER SHARE has this day been levied, and will be payable at the Company's office in Victoria, on Saturday, 10th August next, and will be delinquent on that day.

By order of the Directors.

G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

Victoria, 15th July, 1878. jy17dw

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AT THE ENSUING SESSION OF THE Provincial Legislature the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company, Limited will apply for an Act to enable the Company to separate their location on the Steadman ledge from the other property of the Company so as to form another company in respect of the Steadman location. Such other company to be called the Steadman Company. The shares in the Steadman Company to be offered to the shareholders in the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company in proportion to their snares in that company, and if declined to be disposed of by the Steadman Company for the benefit of the Company.

Barkerville, 18th May, 1878. my23dw

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN EXTRAordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the Rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, on

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1878,

at ONE o'clock p. m., to take into consideration the following matters, viz:—

(1.) The Report of the Board of Directors and the Financial Statement of the Secretary.

(2.) The question of co-operation with other companies in prospecting.

(3.) An Amendment of Section 88 of the Articles of Association, with a view to reduce the rate at which the Company's Stock may be sold.

(4.) The question of carrying on the works of the Company; and such other matters and things as may then and there be submitted.

Dated at Victoria, the Fifteenth July, 1878.

By order of the Board of Directors,

G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

N. B.—Distant Shareholders will please transmit their proxies at an early day to the Secretary.

jy16dw

CHAS. MORTON, COMMISSION STOCK BROKER

MEMBER B. C. MINING STOCK BOARD,

Has removed his office to Langley Street, opposite Angel Hotel. de18dw

VICTORIA HIDE DEPOT.

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Victoria, B.C., 29th July, 1878. jy30

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JOHN GRAHAM,

MANAGER.

Victoria, August 3, 1878. au4

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Cache Creek, May 10th, 1878. my10dw

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	$217,032 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$243,611 41
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,009 35	Gold Bullion	11,613 24
Deposits not bearing Interest	$770,213 79	Landed and other Property	27,851 33
Deposits bearing Interest	111,905 66	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 6,546 49
	$32,119 45	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	227,886 67
			234,433 16
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	642,637 99
		Do. without the Province	247,052 03
			889,740 02
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,108,200 80	Total Amount of Assets	$1,407,249 16

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878 ..... $1,730,000

Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 7 per cent. per annum.

Amount of last dividend declared 60,556

Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend 193,230

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.

(Signed) ISAAC B. FISHER, Act'g Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 15th July, 1878.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864." WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of July, 1878.

jy16 R. P. RITHET, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$107,075 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 82,965 41
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	17,201 05	Gold Bullion	7,113 73
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	93,221 42	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,221 90
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	344,458 18	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	251,232 38
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	225,354 75
Total amount of Liabilities	$561,955 65	Total Amount of Assets	$587,888 12

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878 ..... $5,000,000

Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ..... 5 per cent per annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared for half year ..... $125,000.

Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $1,058,805

VICTORIA, B. C., 12th July, 1878.

(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Sub. Manager.

(Signed) E. STANGER, Accountant.

I, JAMES CRAN, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) JAMES CRAN.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of July, 1878.

jy13 (Signed) A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

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Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M.	Thursday at 6 P. M.
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POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

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